

## PROCLAMATION ON THE OCCASION TO HONOR AND RECOGNIZE THE ABINGDON HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM 2021 CLASS 3 STATE RUNNER-UP

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Abingdon wishes to honor and recognize the Abingdon High School Boys Basketball Team comprising thirteen-members and the team's coaches.

WHEREAS, the commitment required for student-athletes to be a part of a sports team includes meeting required grade, attendance, and volunteer requirements, in addition to attending daily practices and scheduled competition events; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 20, 2021, the Abingdon High School Boys Basketball Team competed in the Class 3A State Championship in Abingdon, Virginia; and

WHEREAS, the coaching staff and players of the Abingdon High School Boys Basketball Team made a great impact on their school and community by taking the boys basketball team to a championship game for the first time since 1965; and

**WHEREAS**, it is with pride that the Town Council recognizes the commitment and dedication of these students who serve as a model for citizens across the Commonwealth; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, by authority invested in me as Mayor, and on behalf of the Abingdon Town Council and citizens, I hereby commend the 2021 Abingdon High School Boys Basketball Team for their tireless efforts and achievements. The Council wishes them success in their future endeavors.

Mayor Derek (Webb